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Applicants also wish to bring to the Examiner's attention the following copending U.S. patent application: U.S. Application Serial Number 10/519,142 ("the '142 application") (filed December 27, 2004). An indication of consideration of the co-pending application by the Examiner would be appreciated. Applicants have endeavored in good faith to disclose in the present application every reference submitted to the USPTO in the '142 application; however Applicants would like to point out that certain websites and other documents cited in the information disclosure statement filed November 16, 2005, in the '142 application are no longer available or have not been found after a reasonable search by Applicants. Applicants therefore refer the Examiner to the prosecution history of the '142 application for these references.

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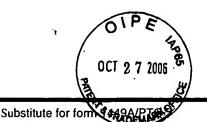
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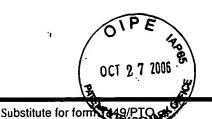
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